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- ~~On page 7, line 2, please replace "Figure 7" with --Figures 7A-7I--.~~
- ~~On page 7, line 17, please replace "Figure 8" with --Figures 8A-8I--.~~
- ~~On page 7, line 20, please replace "Figure 8" with --Figures 8A-8I--.~~
- ~~On page 7, line 21, please replace "Figure 8" with --Figures 8A-8I--.~~
- ~~On page 8, line 8, please replace "Figure 9" with --Figures 9A-9I--.~~
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- ~~On page 8, line 12, please replace "Figure 9" with --Figures 9A-9I--.~~
- ~~On page 8, line 26, please replace "Figure 2" with --Figures 2A-2H--.~~
- ~~Please indent page 8, line 27.~~
- ~~On page 9, line 1, please replace "Figure 7" with --Figures 7A-7I--.~~
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- ~~On page 11, line 9, please replace "at" with --that--.~~
- ~~On page 12, line 5, please replace "Figure 2" with --Figures 2A-2H--.~~
- ~~On page 12, line 8, please replace "Figure 7" with --Figures 7A-7I--.~~
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- ~~On page 12, line 16, please replace "Figure 9" with --Figures 9A-9I--.~~
- ~~On page 12, line 20, please delete "each".~~
- ~~On page 13, line 18, please replace "Figure 2" with --Figures 2A-2H--.~~
- ~~On page 13, line 26, please replace "Figure 7" with --Figures 7A-7I--.~~
- ~~On page 14, line 4, please replace "Figure 8" with --Figures 8A-8I--.~~
- ~~On page 14, line 12, please replace "Figure 9" with --Figures 9A-9I--.~~
- ~~On page 14, line 19, please delete the comma after "human".~~
- ~~On page 15, line 15, please replace "Figure 2" with --Figures 2A-2H--.~~
- ~~On page 15, line 23, please replace "Figure 7" with --Figures 7A-7I--.~~
- ~~On page 16, line 1, please replace "Figure 8" with --Figures 8A-8I--.~~

- ✓ On page 16, line 11, please replace "Figure 9" with --Figures 9A-9I--.
- ✓ On page 16, line 18, please insert a comma after "agonists".
- ✓ On page 16, line 22, please replace "known or unknown" with --recognized or unrecognized--.
- ✓ On page 17, line 17, please replace "Figure 2" with --Figures 2A-2H--.
- ✓ On page 17, line 24, please replace "Figure 4" with --Figures 4A-4C--.
- ✓ On page 18, line 9, please replace "Figure 7" with --Figures 7A-7I--.
- ✓ On page 18, line 12, please replace "Figure 8" with --Figures 8A-8I--.
- ✓ On page 18, line 15, please replace "Figure 9" with --Figures 9A-9I--.
- ✓ On page 18, line 26, please replace "Figure 11" with --Figures 11A-11D--.
- ✓ On page 19, line 6, please delete the comma after "by".
- ✓ On page 19, line 7, please replace "Figure 2" with --Figures 2A-2H--.
- ✓ On page 19, line 7, please replace "7" with --Figures 7A-7I--.
- ✓ On page 19, line 7, please replace "8" with --Figures 8A-8I--.
- ✓ On page 19, line 7, please replace "9" with --Figures 9A-9I--.
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- ✓ On page 19, line 20, please replace "9" with --Figures 9A-9I--.
- ✓ On page 20, line 15, please insert --can be prepared-- after "protein".
- ✓ On page 23, line 12, please replace "manitol" with --mannitol--.
- ✓ On page 23, line 17, please delete the comma after "salts".
- ✓ On page 24, line 12, please replace "attenuated" with --attenuated--.
- ✓ On page 27, line 16, please replace "The" with --Preferred--.
- ✓ On page 28, line 6, please delete "also".
- ✓ On page 28, line 26, please replace "a pathogenic" with --pathogenic--.
- ✓ On page 31, line 2, please replace "**hemoglobin**" with --**Hemoglobin**--.

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- ✓ On page 31, line 5, please replace "haemin" with --hemin--.
- ✓ On page 31, line 5, please replace "haemoglobin" with --hemoglobin--.
- ✓ On page 31, line 19, please replace "onselective" with --on selective--.
- ✓ On page 31, line 21, please replace "haemin" with --hemin--.
- ✓ On page 33, line 2, please replace "Chemicals" with --Chemical--.
- ✓ On page 33, line 13, please replace "C*la*I fragment" with --C*la*I fragment--.
- ✓ On page 35, line 11, please replace "Figure 2" with --Figures 2A-2H--.
- ✓ On page 35, line 19, please replace "Figure 2" with --Figures 2A-2H--.
- ✓ On page 36, line 5, please replace "fur-type" with --Fur-type--.
- ✓ On page 36, line 11, please replace "Figure 2" with --Figures 2A-2H--.
- ✓ On page 36, line 18, please replace "Figure 2" with --Figures 2A-2H--.
- ✓ On page 37, line 2, please replace "Figure 4" with --Figures 4A-4C--.
- ✓ On page 37, line 15, please insert a comma after "Postle".
- ✓ On page 38, line 12, please replace "Table 2" with --Table II--.
- ✓ On page 38, line 13, please replace "Table 2" with --Table II--.
- ✓ On page 39, line 16, please replace "our" with --the--.
- ✓ On page 39, line 16, please replace "probe ," with --probe,--.
- ✓ On page 42, line 11, please replace "Figures 7" with --Figures 7A-7I--.
- ✓ On page 42, line 11, please replace "8" with --Figures 8A-8I--.
- ✓ On page 42, line 11, please replace "9" with --Figures 9A-9I--.
- ✓ On page 42, line 16, please replace "Figures 10" with --Figure 10--.
- ✓ On page 42, line 16, please replace "11" with --Figures 11A-11D--.
- ✓ On page 42, line 24, please replace "Figure 11" with --Figures 11A-11D--.

If the Examiner in charge of this application believes it to be helpful, she is invited to contact the undersigned attorney by telephone at (312) 913-0001.

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